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STIPULATED REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE OPPOSITION

Zurich American Insurance Company, a New York corporation having its principal place of business at 1400 American Lane, Schaumburg, Illinois 60196-1056, requests a further sixty (60) day extension of time up to and including April 14, 2003, within which to file an opposition against the above-identified trademark application.

The extension is necessary because the parties have entered into discussions that may lead to an amicable settlement of this matter.

The attorney for applicant stipulated to this extension request. This request is being submitted in triplicate in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 2.102(d).

Zurich American Insurance Company understands that no fee or certification is required for the submission and consideration of this information at this time. Should any fees be

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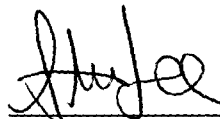
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Please forward any reply to this communication directly to Fish & Richardson P.C., P.A. at 3300 Dain Rauscher Plaza, 60 South Sixth Street, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402.

Respectfully submitted,

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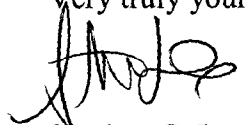
Dear Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith please find the following documents:

- (1) A Stipulated Request for Extension of Time to File Notice of Opposition, in triplicate; and
- (2) A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date-stamp and return this postcard.

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